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Dear Sir:

On this file, we have recently received the issued patent documents.

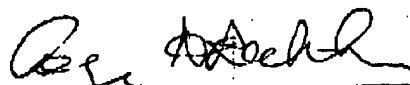
On review of the document, we note that the patent office has issued the patent using the original drawings as filed. However, it is noted that on March 4, 2005 in response to an office action dated January 14, 2005 the undersigned filed new formal drawings, 10 sheets in all. It would appear that when the patent was issued these formal drawings were not used.

It would be appreciated if the Examiner could review this matter and advise me on how to proceed.

We would like to have the patent issued with the submitted formal drawings of March 4, 2005.

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